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Applicant:

J.E. Stall

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Title:

METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PROVIDING AND

INTEGRATING HIGH-PERFORMANCE MESSAGE QUEUES IN A USER INTERFACE ENVIRONMENT **Technology Center 2100** 

## AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Seattle, Washington 98101

October 1, 2004

### TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

#### Amendment Transmittal A.

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

1. No additional claim fee is required, as shown below.

2. The claim fee has been calculated as shown below.

### COMPUTATION OF FEE FOR CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	Claims		Highest						
	Remaining		Number						
	After		Previously		Present				Additional
	Amendment		Paid For		Extra		Rate		Fee
Total Claims	24	-	42	=	0	Х	18	=	0
Independent Claims	6	-	4	==	2	X	88	=	176
	TOTAL						-		\$176

#### B. Fees Enclosed

Enclosed is our Check No. 158458 in the amount of \$176 to cover the amendment claim fee.

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# C. Additional Fee Charges or Credit for Overpayment

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.18 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 03-1740. This authorization also hereby includes a request for any extensions of time of the appropriate length required upon the filing of any reply during the entire prosecution of this application. A copy of this document is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service in a sealed envelope as first class mail with postage thereon fully prepaid and addressed to Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on the below date.

Date:

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